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Lions Have Large Meeting

A goodly number of Lions turned out on Thursday last at the regular meeting held in the Strathmore Memorial Hall. Catering for the evening were Messrs. Len Roberts, Jack Bennett and Roy Wilkinson. The manner in which the late comers had to search about for dinner testified to the appreciation of the assembled members for the well prepared dinner.

Following dinner, the president, George Palardy announced that Mrs. Hunt was playing the piano for the last time that evening, and a hearty vote of thanks for all her efforts in helping along the sing-songs of the club was tendered her. Mrs. Hunt has been the Lions' pianist for over five years, and one of the Club's most faithful attendants.

Plans were made for the Club to cater on the 24th of May at the baseball tournament being organized by the Baseball Club. A booth will be set on the grounds, and though this is to be a meatless Friday, every effort will be made to supply a satisfactory substitute for hamburgers.

In line with a new campaign being launched to collect clothing for the needy in Europe and elsewhere, it was decided that since the committee in charge last year had made a satisfactory showing it was in order that they carry on this year. G. B. Anderson is therefore chairman of the drive.

In a report on the Swimming Pool, it was shown that most of the work is over now, though a great deal of finishing work still remains. Finance, though there is still a large amount of the overall cost to raise, is in a fairly satisfactory position. It was mentioned at the meeting that the pump with which to fill the pool had been donated by the Mercer Farming Company, and appreciation was expressed for this. It was agreed that a note of appreciation for the help received from countless local citizens should be published.

S. H. Crowther gave a brief report on the meeting with Col. T. E. Snow, and showed the work to be done, together with the benefits to be derived.

First draw for the Scott Pot, an innovation designed to help bring up attendance at the meetings, resulted in Ray Wilkinson's name being drawn. Mr. Wilkinson received one dollar and a half at the meeting, and a letter together with another dollar and a half will be mailed to Mrs. Wilkinson.

Following the business meeting, Keith A. Baldwin, of Baldwin Motors, gave a brief talk on methods used in supplying lumber for the market. Mr. Baldwin spoke of an area in the north

Saskatchewan, with which he was very familiar, and told of the trees which will grow in various sections and soils, of the uses which may be made of them, and some of the difficulties in cutting each.

Methods of firefighting and prevention were also mentioned, and elicited some comment following his talk. The manner in which trees are marked for cutting, by the government, and which trees may be cut, were also clearly explained by Mr. Baldwin in his remarks.

Description of a complete trip through a sawmill followed the cutting of the logs, ending up with the planned boards, cut to lengths, which were fed commonly on the market.

Mother's Day Meeting

The Mother's Day Programme given at the meeting of the Ladies' Aid held last Thursday at Mrs. Sauder's home proved very interesting. A special feature was the thought provoking talk given by Miss West on the topic "What holdest thou in thy hand" intimating that that may mean a child to train, a home to care for, a business to conduct, a church people to minister to etc. etc., and each was compared with the significance which was applied to Moses when he was commanded of God to lead the children of Israel from the Land of Bondage into the Promised Land. A piano solo by Miss Violet Hyde and a violin solo by Miriam Ekkes were much appreciated. About twenty-seven persons were present.

MR. P. D. HARGRAVE ADDRESSES GIRLS GARDEN CLUB

Mr. P. D. Hargrave, Superintendent of the Provincial Horticulture Station at Brooks, addressed a meeting of the Strathmore Girls Garden Club in school on Tuesday.

Mr. Hargrave pointed out that 90% of the value of the club work came from working together in committees and exchanging ideas.

He gave the girls many helpful hints on preparation of their garden plots outlining the plan to be followed. He stressed the importance of buying named varieties of plants and seeds. He also explained in detail the pruning of tomatoes and procedure to be used in planting asparagus.

Mr. Hargrave was introduced by Miss Norma Jean Hogg, District Home Economist, who is supervising the garden project.

Town Council Busy

The mayor and four councillors attended the Council Meeting on Tuesday night, and spent a busy time. With a quickly finished agenda, it looked as though there might be an early adjournment, but many points came off the Councillors' pads, and kept the meeting busy.

In connection with the oil warehouse being put up on Railway Avenue by Godfrey Brothers, it was pointed out that the Town would have to okay building plans before they could be completed.

From the minutes came a query regarding the grass at the Lions' Pool, and it was pointed out that it had been too green to burn.

Following a report of assessment on the Power and Light fixtures in the town, it was decided to query the amount that had been set on this property. It was felt that no drop in assessment should have been made without some explanation of the reason for so doing.

Dr. J. W. Giffen was again appointed Medical Health Officer for the Town. Application to purchase a lot for garden purposes was turned down, with the recommendation that the lot be loaned to the applicant. This action was taken in order not to leave an odd number of lots in the block.

An application to purchase a heavy wire fence owned by the Town, was turned down because the Town has in view two uses to which the fence may be put.

It was agreed to spend Twenty dollars to fix the town's road. The axes and boxings need repairing.

In view of the fact that Calgary has decided to stay on Standard Time, there seemed nothing to be gained by

Strathmore going on Daylight Saving Time, and the decision was to leave things as they are.

When it was suggested by one councillor that contrary to the opinion expressed at a recent meeting when it was stated that the state of sidewalks was satisfactory, he felt there were several blocks which needed working on, a general discussion took place. On checking the streets concerned, it was felt that these blocks were in the main the first ones which would be concerted when the time came, and that therefore it would

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Railroaders Honour Perry

Fifty-two Railroaders were present at a luncheon held in the Cecil Hotel at Medicine Hat, on Sunday, April 28th when George E. Chudleigh, Bindloss, Alta., and D. A. Perry, Strathmore, Alta., were the guests of honor. Mr. Chudleigh and Mr. Perry are retiring from active railroading with the C.P.R. after a combined total of ninety-two years service.

F. D. Knowlton, Standard, Local Chairman of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers for the Medicine Hat Division, was Chairman of the program which followed the luncheon. J. A. McChes, Brooks, extended the best wishes of the agents on the Medicine Hat Division to Mr. Chudleigh and Mr. Perry. Mr. W. A. Noble, Medicine Hat, spoke on behalf of the Dispatchers.

E. W. Peck, Verlo, provided splendid musical entertainment during the afternoon.

F. E. Wootton, Superintendent of the Medicine Hat Division, presented the guests of honor with Miniature Locomotives containing a sum of money as a tangible expression of the good will and best wishes of the Members of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers of the Medicine Hat Division.

Other speakers were G. B. Bents, Chief Dispatcher, George Baker, General Chairman, O. B. C. Winnipeg and H. A. Tiers, Local Chairman of the Moose Jaw Division.

Mr. Chudleigh and Mr. Perry both expressed their gratitude for the fine entertainment and gifts, and their regret in severing the many close associations with the men on the Medicine Hat Division.

WEDDING

BROWN-TUDOR

A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized in St. Michael and All Angels Church Saturday, May 4th, at 7 p.m. when Cerydwin, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Tudor of Strathmore became the bride of Mr. Arthur Alexander Blanford Brown of Calgary eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Brown of Winnipeg, Man., the Rev. D. A. Ford officiating.

The bride given in marriage by her father, chose a very attractive gown of white net over silk, a shoulder length veil, and a corsage of pink roses.

The couple were unattended. During the signing of the register Mrs. Mott played "O Perfect Love". Mrs. J. Crellin and Mrs. J. Crowder of Calgary were witnesses.

The groom's gift to the bride was a gold pendant with blue sapphires; the bride's gift to the groom was a gold signet ring.

A reception for about thirty-five friends was held at the home of the bride's parents. The bride's table was centred with a three tier cake, and a delicious buffet luncheon was served.

Mrs. Tudor chose for her daughter's wedding a black silk crepe gown with the brides gift to the groom was a gold signet ring.

The young couple left amid a shower of confetti for Calgary where they will reside.

AGRIC. SERVICE BOARD NOTES

May 6th, this board held their monthly meeting in the Municipal office. All members were present including the Service Board Fieldman, Mr. Frank Wilson. Many and varied subjects, as they affect individuals and the farmers in particular, were dealt with. Some of the questions are unanswerable as yet, but with the additional experience and further findings of this and other Agricultural bodies many of the seemingly unanswerable problems will be solved.

As an example where were the board going to do their experimental work on perennial and annual weeds? This was solved when one of the board members volunteered his farm for demonstrations with wild oat control. Near his gate are scattered patches of Hoary Cress that will be treated by the board. When passing Mr. John Scheer's farm, drop in and ask about this work.

To illustrate what interest is being taken by the farmers generally, one man wrote in to enquire how he should farm to get the best results to control a field infested with Field Bind Weed. This field had been well summer-fallowed last year. The boards recommendation was as follows: Cultivate several times if necessary, thus killing off all growth that appeared, and in this way help to extend the reserve of plant food stored in the roots last fall. Next seed to green feed or to an early variety of barley such as Olli about June 5th. The field should be seeded the same day as cultivated so as to give the barley an equal chance with the weed. The farmer was advised to seed from 1/2 to 3/4 bushels heavier than usual. This would prevent lodging and create a greater demand for plant food, thus tending to rob the food from the weed. The heavier seedling would provide greater shade, again being harmful to the perennial weed and since the extra cultivation would liberate more plant food this soil would support a thicker seedling. He was also told to swath the barley thus preventing the weed from producing seed. By removing the crop earlier, he could begin his fall cultivation of the infested field, and lastly he was to plow and leave the field rough all winter. If a measure of control was gained, a similar plan was to be followed next year on the same field.

The Field Supervisor has signed the Weed Inspectors Declaration and he is a competent weed inspector and has all the authority granted under the Noxious Weed Act. If it becomes necessary

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University Plays Come To Strathmore

Three One Act Plays given by the Students of the University of Alberta, will be put on in Strathmore Tuesday, June 18 in the Memorial Hall under the auspices of the Canadian Legion.

All three plays are comedies:

1. "To Meet The Chinkies", an Alberta play by Allan Fraser of Calgary.

2. "Blaming the Devil" by Robert Gard, also a native of Alberta.

3. "The Marriage Proposal", a well known Russian Comedy.

Reserve this date as this should prove a very entertaining evening.

Lecture on Science

A lecture entitled "Christian Science: The Law of True Dominion", will be given in Central High School Auditorium, Calgary, on Thursday, May 16th, at 8:15 p.m. The lecture will be given by Herbert W. Beck, C. S. B. of San Francisco, California Member of the Board of Lecturers of the Mother Church, First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston Massachusetts.

Given under the auspices of the Christ, Scientist in Calgary, the lecture is free. All are welcome.

CAFE CHANGES HANDS

The Strathmore Cafe, operated for some years by J. Vermont in connection with the bakery, has been sold by him to Ray Wilkinson, who will in future operate both the cafe and the bread and pastry counter.

Mr. Wilkinson hails from Macklin, Saskatchewan, but has spent the past six years in Strathmore. He farmed for some time, and has been employed at the King Edward Hotel for the past three years. Well known around Strathmore and vicinity, Mr. Wilkinson will have a host of well-wishers in his new enterprise.

Present plans are to operate the cafe on a full meal or light snack basis. Arrangements have also been made by Mr. Wilkinson to stay open for the crowds who find themselves with no place open following the shows and dances in town. This move is assured of favour with the entertainment seeking world.

Mr. Jack Vermont will continue to operate the bakery in the rear, and will give all the time towards turning out the high standard bread and pastries which have won him so much favour among his customers.

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LANGDON

— By G. E. W. —

The regular meeting of the W. I. was held on Wednesday afternoon May 1st in the hall, when thirty members and one visitor were present. Mrs. D. Clark of Cluny, district constituency convenor was present and gave a very interesting talk on the convention held in Lethbridge. Special mention was made of the coming conference to be held in Strathmore on June 18th. A Mother's Day program was very much enjoyed, and the roll call was quotations about home. A delicious lunch was served by the hostesses, Mrs. G. Whitney, Mrs. R. Blue, Mrs. A. Watson.

Arnold Fraser, returned to Langdon last week after spending some time overseas. He is now at home with his wife and young son Garry.

Mrs. Oscar (Mary) Johnson of Langdon passed away very suddenly in the General Hospital in Calgary on Saturday, May 4th. The passing of Mrs. Johnson came as a shock to her many friends in Langdon, as we were looking forward to her return from hospital soon. The funeral service will take place at Raven, where the family lived before moving to Langdon. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, Oscar and six children: Gordon, Louis, Margaret, Rose, Ellen and Florence. Our deepest sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

A special Oddfellows' service was held on Sunday in the W. I. Hall when 15 members of the local lodge turned out in a group. Mr. Aldridge conducted the service. There was a very good attendance.

There is to be a special Mother's Day service in the W. I. hall, this coming Sunday, May 12th. Several of the children are taking part.

The young folk held a party on Saturday evening. A jolly time was had and everyone enjoyed themselves. Mrs. Braden was hostess for the evening.

NAMAKA NOTES

Mrs. Tom Cusack and little son Jimmie of High River are visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Thomson.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Mason and children of Farrow were Sunday visitors at the Moss home.

The Mackie family motored to Arrowwood Sunday to spend the day.

This has been moving week in Namaka. The old Hapgood house which was an old landmark has been purchased by Mr. T. E. H. Patteson of Strathmore, and was moved by a Calgary moving firm. The Air Force Shack has been moved in by William Fawkes and Leonard Aitkens has moved in a granary, and is fixing it up for a garage.

Mrs. F. C. Daukins has undergone an operation for gottre and is doing fine.

STOBART

Mrs. Geo. Desjardine, Mrs. Cook and Mrs. Archie Blais paid a surprise visit to Mrs. Blais Sr. on the occasion of her birthday.

Master Kenny Woods of Gleichen spent the week end with Kenneth Lila.

Mrs. Ed Holland, Mrs. Geo McBean and Mrs. R. A. Foster were Calgary visitors last week.

Adel Jensen of Calgary spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. N. Jensen.

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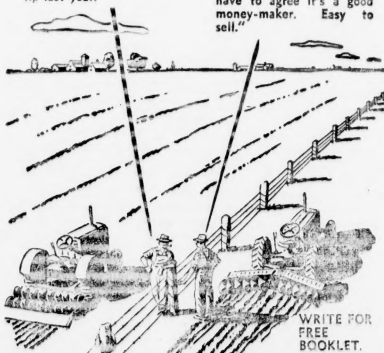
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BIRTHDAY PARTY HONORS— MRS. JENS RASMUSSEN

The lovely country home of Mr. and Mrs. Axel Larsen was the scene of a gala gathering on Friday, May 3rd, when they held open house in honor of the Eighty Fifth Birthday of Mrs. Larsen's Mother Mrs. Jens Rasmussen. Mrs. Rasmussen is one of the Pioneers of the Standard District, having come here from Iowa in March 1911. She has taken a keen interest in all church activities, and her home has always been noted for its hospitality. Mrs. Rasmussen was the recipient of many beautiful flowers and plants. Several telegrams of congratulations were received, and a host of friends called to extend their Good Wishes. Birthday refreshments were served at a lace covered table, contrasted with carnations and tall white tapers, during the afternoon and evening.

A feature of the party was the presence of four generations of the Rasmussen Family—Mrs. Jens Rasmussen her daughter Mrs. Axel Larsen, her Grand daughter, Mrs. Axel Christensen and Great Grand Daughter, little Kathleen Christensen.

IMPERIAL OIL SALES

Net profits of Imperial Oil from its sales in Canada increased slightly in 1945 over those in 1944, the company's annual report states. During the past year approximately 1,291,000,000 gallons of products were sold at an average net profit of four-fifths of a cent per gallon. This compares with 1,257,000,000 gallons at an average net profit of approximately three-quarters of a cent per gallon in 1944.

Earnings from investments, mostly in South America, were \$6,264,298.74, and this brought the total operating income of the company to \$10,352,287.13 or 61.62 cents per share.

The report reveals that the company has extensive plans for building and modernizing refinery equipment. Four ocean-going tankers, lost during the war, are to be replaced, and the company plans to build three lake tankers in Canada. A fourth tanker of coastal size has been added to the fleet recently. Approximately 92 per cent of those company employees who served in the armed forces and were known to be discharged were again in the company's employ at the end of 1945.

RURAL GLEICHEN

Mrs. Leason of Calgary has been visiting her sister Mrs. C. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. McQueen motored to Medicine Hat Friday to attend their daughter Betty Jane's graduation at the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Daw of Calgary are visiting relatives and friends in the Gleichen district.

Miss Selma Sammons of Calgary is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sammons. Little Rodney Bigland accompanied Miss Sammons.

Eileen Bennett who is in training at the General Hospital in Calgary spent the week end at her home.

Mrs. W. Cook entertained a few friends at tea Tuesday afternoon.

Norman Oliver of Calgary spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sammons.

Mrs. J. A. McArthur entertained a few ladies Wednesday afternoon when they quilted some quilts for the Jr. Red Cross Hospital in Calgary.

Mrs. R. S. Robinson of Turner Valley is visiting relatives and friends for a few days.

Mrs. J. Miller of Edmonton and Mrs. Edith Walker are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gee Walker.

Harry Proffitt was host to a gathering of friends at the A. F. Wilson home. The occasion was his birthday. A very enjoyable time was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Robinson visited a few days at Red Deer last week.

Buster Stott has bought the Donald Hutchison house in Gleichen and is moving his family in town.

There will be Morning Prayer in St. Andrew's Church on May 12th at 11 a.m. conducted by the Rev. D. A. Ford.

UNNUMBERED RATION COUPONS ARE STILL GOOD

Despite the large amount of publicity about the unnumbered ration coupons, some dealers are still under a misapprehension regarding their validity. All unnumbered coupons with a beaver design on them stamped butter, sugar and meat respectively are still valid and should be accepted by the trade. When the purple numbered butter coupons expired in February some dealers mistakenly thought that all purple butter coupons were thus invalidated. However, the one or did not affect unnumbered coupons. With the expiry of the old pink sugar coupons, 46 to 79, the same problem cropped up. All pink coupons with a beaver design, stamped sugar, are still valid and should be accepted by the trade. They have the same value as the green S coupons. All coupons stamped preserves whether bearing a beaver design or not, expired last January 31 and are no longer valid for purchasing jam, marmalade, maple syrup etc. The brown unnumbered meat coupon with a beaver design, stamped "meat", is still valid.

Home Canning

Films produced by the National Film Board are giving members of film forums in the United States a new point of view on familiar questions.

NIGHTINGALE

—By Mrs. F. H.

May 2nd, meeting was held at the home of Mrs. F. Hilton. Eleven members and one visitor answered roll call which was Current Event.

Gift for the Taylor baby was decided on. Mrs. F. Hilton was appointed as permanent delegate to the Community Council.

Sheeting was purchased for the quilt which is now well under way. One half dozen A. W. L. pins were sent for by our new members.

Mrs. G. Kearns donated a one pound box of chocolates for the sick fund member.

ARDENODE

We are very glad to know that Mrs. John Davis is feeling so much better after her recent sickness.

realizing \$2.75 and won by Mrs. J. Bazant.

May 16 meeting will be at the home of Mrs. C. Way.

Paper on canning fowl and meat by Mrs. G. H. Godfrey and a paper on canning fruits and vegetables by Mrs. L. Hilton. Mrs. F. Hilton gave a demonstration of paper flowers.

We welcome Mrs. E. Olsen as a new member.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Godfrey were Calgary visitors Tuesday.

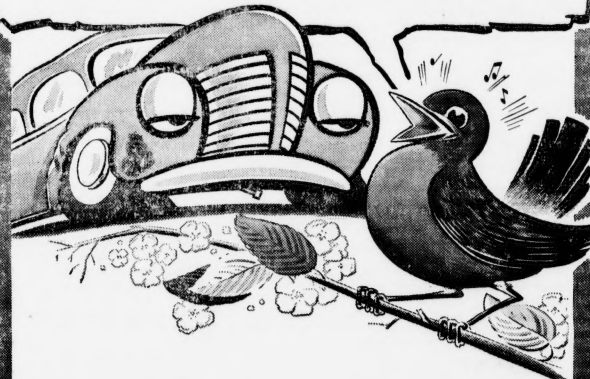
Ardenode is having her face lifted in great style these days. It got a brand new road from north of the school house to the bridge south. This is the first good road for a number of years. We certainly appreciate it.

Mrs. Ernie Olson was a Calgary visitor Tuesday.

Mr. Alex Meinechuk of Calgary spent the week end at his home here. Mr. and Mrs. H. Hendrickson visited with Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Brook, Sunday.

Mrs. V. J. R. Hughes of Calgary is spending a few days at her Father's home, Mr. P. E. Sarsons.

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In this connection—a glance over some of the streets, or many of the houses and buildings reveals a depressing lack of paint.

In this criticism it is not our chief purpose to solicit business for the merchants who sell paint, and varnishes, though that too would be in keeping, but rather—very decidedly so, to induce a sort of epidemic—if you wish, to give to all the needy buildings—and there are many—that coat of paint which would preserve the lives, of the buildings—add greatly to the appearance thereof—and thereby to the general attractiveness of our town.

Strathmore has the reputation of being one of the prettiest and most attractive of Prairie towns. Let us not lose that reputation by failing to give the coat of paint, which adds so much.

We report the following—which is not good news—A local citizen in his business, travels considerably throughout the country. On a trip made recently he was looking at the various towns through which he passed, with a somewhat critical eye, and on returning to Strathmore he was disappointed to see that the need for a coat of fresh paint is most evident here. Our town did not compare favorably in this connection. Now let us not give Strathmore a "down at the heel appearance"—but heed this warning in time—by the freshened appearance that the coat of paint gives. Paint Up! Paint Up! and brighten our Town.

COMMUNITY CENTRE ACTIVITIES

The Spirit of the Community Centre, is definitely taking shape in Strathmore, and evidence thereof is very manifest in various activities, all tending to improvement in the town which will react to benefit the citizens of the surrounding community as well. The Swimming Pool, which was mooted seven years ago, is now an almost completed acquisition and will provide countless happy and invigorating hours, for many.

The Baseball diamond is greatly improved and various teams will enjoy the improved facilities in a tournament, May 24. It is a credit to the men who laboured to put it in shape.

A number of interested members of the Canadian Legion have been energetically working to improve the grounds, and the result will be most pleasing. The growth of some unusual types of trees which have been planted—will be watched with interest—these are Blue Pines and Junipers. An addition to the Men

orial Stone which will include the names of those who fell in this war is now being made in Calgary.

We hear rumors of the first unit of a new school in the near future and a water system for Strathmore next year.

The possibility of a Reserve Army Unit which will necessitate a building, part of which will provide a gymnasium is a possibility on the horizon.

Three thousand questionnaires, numbers of which are being sent out to every family in the district, give a marked concept of the interest being aroused to provide activities for all around development of the community as a whole.

All these projects have not and cannot be established without deep seated interest on the part of those who had vision for a fuller life, and to all such, much interest is due.

PRO-CONS STAND STILL

The Gallup Poll, which often is disappointing in the answer it gets, indicates that the Progressive-Conservative party is like the average man's bank account in the minds of the voters—the withdrawals of support are as great as the accretions of strength.

What to do about this is of public importance. It is important because any Government (yes, even one headed by Mr. King) is a better government for having an alert, active, aggressive and courageous official Opposition forever watching for sins of omission and commission and ready to fight at the drop of the hat. There are elements in the official Opposition possessing these qualities. But there seems to be a lack of cohesion, a superfluity of counsel, an aggregation of fears, a desire to placate all elements, a dreaming of the day when a progressive-Conservative party will sweep Quebec.

There are many people in Canada who dislike Mr. King and all his works. "Dislike" is a moderate word in some instances. But many of these same voters so far have seen no reason for putting their faith in the Brackenites. There is nothing colorful there. Several of the new members, and three or four of the old, have been doing a good job, but they cannot make a party when the front bench is composed of moribund specialists (again with exceptions) whose principal claim to recognition is seniority.

Everyone who knows says that Mr. Bracken gave good government to Manitoba, for twenty years. But an administrator is not necessarily a Leader of the Opposition. Mr. Bracken would seem to be too conciliatory to win fights, too retiring to be a figure around whom voters will rally, too cautious to essay a duel of words, too restrained in his criticisms to make a newspaper headline.

It isn't a new situation in parliamentary history. Lord Randolph Churchill, who will go down in history as the father of Winston, was quite a man and parliamentarian in his own right. Over sixty years ago he and a valiant few like advice

THE FARM STRIKE

Others are of opinion that a far-seeing editor would see the Financial Post in a better editorial on the subject, when the Post says:

"The same difficulty in enforcing a farm strike as a five-day week is the refusal of farmers to play ball. Cows must be milked and pigs must be fed. . . . The farmer refuses to cut the hay or milk the cows, then he is in the position of the individual business man the farmer's main interest is not production, as continuous and economically as possible. . . ."

Now, while we are not at this point advocating a strike of the farm producers, we would point out that the Financial Post is basing their editorial on wrong or misleading premises. . . . whether intentionally or not, we do not know.

In the first place, the farmer's main interest is not necessarily continuous production, but very often what he gets for what he does produce. Many farmers remember a few years back when it did not matter how much they produced, or how little, they still could get barely a living from the land. If the farmer cannot get a cost-plus-profit price for his produce, he could produce continuously forever and still go broke.

Secondly, it is an accepted fact that many "individual businessmen" are at present holding their finished goods from the market, until they can get a more lucrative return from a control-free market. There is no reason why the farmer might not do the same. Our impression of a farm strike is not altogether a non-production scheme, but partially a non-production, partially a non-delivery affair. The cows might easily be milked, but the market could fail to receive the milk can.

As we said before, though, we are not advocating a strike among the farmers. That is for the farmer to decide. . . . It is his business, and in these days he generally knows that business pretty well. We fervently hope the situation will not become so bad as to require a farm strike; on the other hand, we do not feel that the farmer should be exploited forever.

However, we do feel that the Financial Post missed one point. We were talking to a farmer the other day who told us "There's no point in talking about farmers striking. When it comes along time, a good farmer can't help himself. . . . he knows he's just got to mow."

set to work to stir up their own party and to needle the Prime Minister, Mr. Gladstone, whose position in British Liberalism may not have been unlike that of Mr. King in Canadian affairs today.

Lord Randolph and crew reached their objectives though at least one authority says they were brutal in their thrusts at the Old Guard of their own party. They were in fact, a successful fourth party. Perhaps Canada needs a successful fifth party. A glazier group could even help Mr. Haley towards the balanced budget of which he speaks (occasionally).

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NIGHTINGALE

—By Mrs. F. H.

Mrs. Penard Hildahl and son Harvey E. went to their new home at Morrin recently. Mrs. Hildahl's sister, Millie accompanied her for a few days.

Widow Harriman of Swallow, and Mrs. Harriman are rejoicing over the birth of a new son, Frank Ian. Mrs.

Harriman is the former Kitty Aird of Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Farr have as their guests for a short time their daughter and son-in-law, together with their grandson, Jackie, all of Bowden.

The children of the school are all busy training for the Sports Day being held on the 17th of this month.

MODEL OILS LIMITED Dividend Notice

NOTICE is hereby given that a Dividend of Two Cents per share will be paid on or after Friday, the 31st day of June, 1946, to shareholders of the Company of record as such at the close of business on Friday, the 31st day of May, 1946.

THE REGISTER OF TRANSFERS will be closed from the close of business on Friday, the 31st day of May, 1946, until the opening of business on Saturday, the 22nd day of June, 1946.

By Order of the Board.

D. P. McDONALD, Secretary-Treasurer

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Sunday, May 12th, 1946.

11:00 a.m.—Mother's Day Service in the Church School in joint session with the morning congregation.

7:30 p.m.—Mother's Day Service.

Rev. Geo. E. Robins, B. A. of Shaunavon Sask. will conduct the service.

Gleichen United Church.

10:30 a.m.—Mother's Day Service.

Congregational meeting after the service.

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Sunday, May 12th, 1946. 3rd Sunday after Easter.

8:30 a.m. Holy Communion

11:00 a.m. Sunday School

7:30 p.m. Evening Prayer

St. Andrew's Gleichen:

11:00 a.m. Morning Prayer.

Cluny:

2:00 p.m. Evening Prayer.

All services throughout the day will have reference to the Anglican Advance Appeal, for which the financial canvass will begin during the week of May 12th, to May 19th.

LUTHERAN CHURCH, STANDARD

—M. Jorgensen, Pastor—

Friday, May 10th, 2:30 The U. L. A. will meet at the home of Mrs. Story. 8:00 The Sunday School teachers will meet.

Sunday, May 12, 10:30 Mother's Day Services, English.

12:00 Sunday School and Bible Class.

3:00 Mothers' Day Services at Sunday Range.

8:00 The Y. P. S. will meet.

Wednesday, May 15, 1:00 the men will meet to clean up about the church.

8:00 The Dorcas Society will meet in the home of Mrs. Aage Nielsen.

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be unwise to do more than repair the existing walks in these cases.

In connection with sidewalks a decided complaint was registered regarding the treatment given to sidewalks by caterpillars pulling in houses, and it is felt that in places where damage has been done, those responsible should repair it.

Plans were made to fix up the cemetery, and to put into order the numbering system, both in regard to plots and to areas.

At present, it is very difficult to find a site. It was suggested that supervision of the stones being erected should be instituted. The regulations have always existed, but have in many cases been ignored, so that memorial stones not set where space was provided have in many instances started to

lean and tilt.

Towards the clean-up work, an amount of fifty dollars was granted.

It was reported that the Fire Brigade had received their cheque for attending a fire in Standard, some four weeks ago.

Arrangements are under way to erect a large sign at Keeling's Corner, in order to warn drivers of the cut-off into town. This is particularly hard to see at night, and it is felt the sign will help materially. It is to be spotted in such a manner that car lights will find it at night.

The Public Works Committee will be instructed to arrange for the installation of a culvert at the Swimming Pool, in order that cars may cross the ditch.

Accounts amounting to ninety-seven dollars were passed, and in addition the Wheatland levy of \$1827.78 was accepted.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I wish to announce that I have taken over the front end of the Vermont's Bakery including the Cafe.

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Bruce	Loxstave	East of elevator	15,000
Bremner	"	Most easterly Loxstave	10,000
Carmungay	Balloon	N. E. annex north of office	45,000
Cryley	Balloon	North of elevator	32,000
Champion	"	North of elevator	32,000
Clairmont	"	North of elevator	45,000
Coadale	"	South of elevator	32,000
Empress	"	West of elevator	25,000
High River	"	Truck side north of elevator	35,000
Hilda	"	North of elevator	25,000
Hilliard	"	West of elevator	32,000
Huxley	"	South of elevator	32,000
Killam	"	East of elevator	32,000
Loughheed	"	N. W. of elevator	32,000
New Bridgen	"	East of elevator	32,000
Phillips	Loxstave	Most easterly Loxstave	10,000
Picture Butte	Balloon	East of elevator	32,000
Tyrocraft	"	East of elevator	32,000
Wainwright	"	West of cribbed annex	35,000
Wetaskiwin	"	North of elevator	35,000

Tender is desired with rods and without rods.

It is suggested anyone interested in the purchase of these structures should make personal examination prior to submitting a bid. In event of any additional information being desired such can be obtained promptly by addressing an inquiry to Construction Department, Alberta Wheat Pool, Loughheed Building, Calgary.

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FOUND ON WEDNESDAY—MAN'S wrist watch, in Alligator strap. Owner may have same at Standard office by paying for this ad.

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Cards of Thanks, In Memoriam notice, 50 cents per insertion not exceeding five lines. Over that space, 10 cents per count line. Suggested wording for Cards of Thanks and In Memoriam notices may be obtained on application to the Strathmore Standard.

IN MEMORIAM

CROLY. In loving memory of a Dear Son and Brother, Clayton, who passed away May 1, 1946, in the Billings Hospital, Philippine Islands.

"Although you are in a far off land,
And your grave we cannot see,
There's not a day gone by
That we do not think of thee."

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IN MEMORIAM

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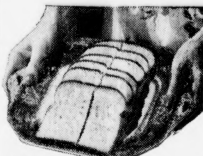
A. M. A. OFFICES FLOODED WITH TRAVEL INQUIRIES

Tourist traffic within Alberta and also to outside provinces and states evidently will reach a large volume this year, according to officials of the Alberta Motor Association.

Branches of the A. M. A. in Edmonton, Calgary and Lethbridge have reported that numerous inquiries concerning routes for holiday trips have been received. The number of requests for information is mounting steadily and probably will reach a peak within the next few weeks.

In this first post-war holiday year, motorists are preparing to take full advantage of vacation opportunities. Gasoline and tire restrictions are off, and the way is open for a joyous vacation with all the peace-time elements offered for the first time since 1933.

Officials of the A. M. A. have been thronged with information seekers. They realize that these offices have the latest information as to road routes and highway conditions, with considerable data concerning stopping places, service stations, tourist attractions and road mileages.



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ROCKYFORD

— By M. K. —

Among those spending the Easter week end with relatives were Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Wannacott of Calgary, who were guests of the latter parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Saar, also Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Saar of Rockyford district.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond and daughter Sheryl are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Dahm.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Crough were home for a few days last week.

Mrs. Bert Erswell is visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Katterhagen.

Donna Goodfellow of Carstairs, spent the Easter holidays with the Irvin Katterhagen group.

Mr. and Mrs. Renu Muenchtrath are the proud parents of a new baby daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Atwell welcomed the arrival of a new baby son.

Edna and Percy Ross spent the Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Art Cammer.

Mrs. L. Roppel is home from the hospital with her new baby son.

Mrs. Mike Heinzelmeier Sr. has moved to her new house in town; she likes it very much.

Rita Hendricks has taken a position as housekeeper for Tom Schultz.

Grandpa Stinn is well on the road to recovery after a serious illness resulting from a fall.

Mrs. Frances Stinn was in the hospital last week suffering from the flu.

Mrs. C. Schaefer visited her son Mr. W. Schaefer and family of Calgary recently.

Eddy Stark has returned from overseas. At present he is helping his brother Albert in the Red and White store.

Frank Kettenback of Calgary is working on his father's farm here in Rockyford.

Edmund Halpin spent his Easter holidays visiting among friends.

Bette Wilson will arrive home next Friday for a three-weeks holiday.

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CHANCELLOR

— By Mrs. J. M. W. —

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kenny and family and Mr. Wm. Knight and three sons were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Rogers. Fred Knight will leave immediately by plane for England and will fly his British war bride home to Canada.

The Ball Club apologizes for no game on Sunday; it just couldn't be helped. The schedule is Chancellor-Rockyford at Chancellor on Sunday, May 19, Chancellor-Gleichen at Gleichen, May 24 (tournament) Chancellor-Rockyford at Rockyford May 26.

Mrs. Fred Wheatley Jr. is expected to arrive here from Sidney on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Reiffenstein were Sunday visitors at the C. V. Madson home.

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LACOMBE FARM HEAD RETIRES

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Under the superintendency of Mr. Reed, the Lacombe station has made a

substantial contribution to Alberta agriculture. The territory served by that station extends from Calgary to Athabasca 199,141 acres of Edmonton, and from the Rockies to the Saskatchewan border. In this region there are 30,000,000 acres of land and 60,000 farmers out of the total of the Alberta total of 100,000.

F. W. GERSHAW WRITES FROM OTTAWA

The floor of the Senate Chamber is covered with bright red carpet. Great pictures hang on the walls and the ceiling is of a golden shade. The great room is being used at present for the Dominion-Provincial Conference. On the central part of the floor there is a long table and around this table sit the nine Provincial Premiers, Prime Minister King and usually three cabinet ministers. Viewed from the Gallery, the scene is colorful and impressive. The desks usually occupied by the members of the Senate are used by the many advisors and officers from the different provinces who have come to supply material when needed for the great conference which may well be historic.

During World War II, the taxation fields were largely given over to the Dominion and the purpose of the conference is to re-allocate these fields so that Canadian obligations can be met and the Canadian people can be best served.

Canadian people stood by the side of Britain and made a great contribution to the war effort. There is now no escape from the war costs.

Thousands of young men have not returned. Thousands are returning broken in body or mind. We can only hope that the provisions made will, to some small extent, restore them to health and happiness as far as is humanly possible.

This indicates the horrors and tragedies of war, and in addition, there are the material costs of the war supplies and the reconstruction costs. Costs fall heavily on the Dominion Treasury. Before the war about half a billion dollars covered the whole Ottawa expenses but during the war more than five billion was required each year.

Of this tremendous amount one-half was raised by taxation and about half was borrowed. The national debt on this account rose from around 3 billion to 12 or 13 billion. The high expenses of war do not stop with the bombing. The debts must be serviced and the reconstruction costs met.

The sources of taxation that are to be assigned to either the Dominion or the provinces are the Income Tax, Inheritance Tax, Gasoline Tax, Theatre Tax and Pari-Mutual. The problems are different and British North America Act passed 79 years ago was designed to meet conditions very different from the conditions now existing.

At times, during the many days of debate, it seemed that an agreement would be impossible, and the conference was on the brink of collapse. At times, angry words were hurled across the table and charges were made in a tense atmosphere.

Mr. Isley's reply to many requests of the provinces was usually "No". This recalled to Mr. Douglas a song

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from "The Girl of Oklahoma" who could not say "no". He said Mr. Isley could not say "Yes".

The Sask. group did bring out the fact that the central provinces containing the head offices of the great money institutions could collect taxes from them on profits that were really derived from branches in the west and east. This applies more particularly

to the Income, Inheritance and Corporation taxes.

All the members of the conference realize that taxes must be reduced, but up to date no one has advocated the cancellation of any items of expenditure.

F. W. Gershaw, M. P.

Try a "Classified"

Why Anglicans must raise \$4,300,000

IN ORDER to strengthen the arm of the Church and enable it to meet the challenge of postwar needs with intensified effort at home and abroad, members of the Church of England in Canada are asked to provide the sum of \$4,300,000.

This money is urgently needed to carry on the Church's educational and social work in Canada.

To meet Diocesan and general synod needs as well as the expenses of organization and administration.

To carry on missionary work at home and abroad, to assist the Mother Church in England and the Churches of Europe in their work of rehabilitation.

To strengthen the pension fund for missionary clergy.

The money will be allotted in the following way:

Pension Fund - - - - -	\$1,300,000
Missionary Work - - - - -	1,400,000
Educational Work - - - - -	100,000
Social Work - - - - -	55,000
Church in Britain - - - - -	100,000
Churches in Europe - - - - -	90,000
General Synod Administration - - - - -	205,000
Extension of Church House - - - - -	50,000
Diocesan Needs - - - - -	800,000
Organization and Administration - - - - -	200,000

Spiritual re-dedication must bear fruit in self-sacrificing practical endeavour if the Church is to meet its Christian obligations.

Be prepared to lend YOUR support to the limit of your ability when the Visitor calls during the week of May 12th to 19th, or mail your offering to your Diocesan Headquarters.

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Local News Items

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Taylor, Saturday, April 27th, a baby girl. Best wishes.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Freeman Friday May 3rd in Grace Hospital, Calgary, a baby girl. Mother and son doing well.

Lancee Cpl's Roy Foley and Irene Pritchard who returned from England about a month ago, spent the week end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Crellin.

The Standard wishes to correct an error made last week. It is Mrs. Chas. Kimmitt who underwent the goitre operation, not Mrs. Art Kimmitt. We are pleased to learn that Mrs. Kimmitt is now making satisfactory progress.

Miss Gwen Hunt who is substituting in a Calgary school for the month, spent the week end at her home in Strathmore.

Mrs. Howard Galbraith and Bobby left Monday for Calgary where they will join Howard and make their home.

Mrs. Gladys Morgan and Hugh Berry and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morgan entertained at a delicious turkey dinner during the week end in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Perry. Former Strathmore friends Mr. and Mrs. Nicholl and Mr. and Mrs. Pierson were among the guests. Prize winners at Bridge were Mrs. T. E. Wright and Mr. Nicholl and low Mrs. Pierson and Mr. Porteous. Special gifts to the honor guests were also made.

Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Quirin entertained at dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Perry, when a happy informal evening was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Sauder of Vancouver were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Sauder over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick were hosts at a very enjoyable dinner bridge Saturday evening when they entertained in honor of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Perry. A happy informal evening of bridge and conversation was enjoyed and Mr. and Mrs. Perry winning the high scores also a remembrance gift to Mrs. Perry from the hostess.

Mr. Freeman's garden has a plot of about sixty Dutch Tulips in bloom—a lovely sight. George sent the bulbs last Fall.

Mrs. Wm. Riadon invited a few friends to Tea Friday last to enjoy a pleasant talk together.

Mrs. Malcolm McKenzie is nursing in Gleichen for a few weeks returning home at the week ends.

Rev. S. R. Hunt attended the meeting of Presbytery in Calgary Tuesday.

The Women's Association of United Church met at the home of Mrs. Sauder Thursday May 2nd.

Thursday afternoon last Mrs. Porteous was hostess at a bridge of three tables when Mrs. Perry was again the honor guest. Mrs. T. S. Hughes and Mrs. Magge were the prize winners in some very enjoyable games of bridge, with a special remembrance for Mrs. Perry. All enjoyed a very happy afternoon.

The Bingo Club meets this week at the home of Mrs. Bennett.

Mrs. Baldwin left last week to see her daughter who suffered a broken shoulder in a fall from her pony.

We regret that Elaine Chapman is in Calgary undergoing an appendix operation. We hope for a complete and speedy recovery.

Edgar Lyons met with an unfortunate accident in Turner Valley by which he loses one finger and part of the thumb of the left hand. It is hoped to save the second and third finger.

Wednesday of last week Mrs. Crellin Sr. invited the Bingo Club to a social evening at her house. Bridge was played and some interesting games resulted in Mrs. Neumeyer winning the high score with Mrs. Roberts getting the consolation. A very happy hour followed over the coffee cups.

Bingo Club meets Thursday at Mrs. George Koehs, not Mrs. Bennett's.

The W. M. S. Thank Offering Meeting was held in the Memorial Room of the United Church Wednesday afternoon. Miss West gave an interesting talk on some of the aspects of life in India as it applies to women particularly. A social hour was enjoyed following the address.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mercer will motor to Edmonton for the week end.

Hugh Berry has returned to the Strathmore Bank after having spent several weeks in Beiseker.

COMING EVENTS

The Home Economics Class of the Strathmore High School will be hosts to their parents at a Tea Friday afternoon, May 10th.

The School Fair Oratorical Contest will be held in the Memorial Hall, Wednesday May 31 at 3 p.m.

The Pre-School and Baby Clinic will be held in Cluny, Friday, May 17 in the Cluny Dormitory. Miss M. Davis District Nurse will be in charge.

Dance in Baintree Hall, Friday, May 17, Good Music. Supper Free. Gents 75c, Ladies 25c. 1m9

Janie Lyons Beauty Parlor will be closed for 1 month, commencing immediately in order to obtain a much needed rest.

Baseball—Dorrie Header on Sunday, May 12 in Strathmore. Nightingale vs. Strathmore at 1:30; Carceland vs. Strathmore at 3:00.

Mrs. T. E. Wright had as guests over last week end her sister Mrs. Fraser of Edmonton, and her niece, Mrs. Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. Hanson all of Calgary.

Miss Gwen Hunt had as a guest over the week end, Miss Jean Pritchard, of Calgary and Edmonton.

Mrs. W. Muncey of Vancouver who is now visiting in Calgary will come Monday to visit Mrs. Sauder for several days.

Mrs. Perry was again the guest of honor at a very delightful bridge of seven tables at the commodious home of Mrs. Van Tighem. Mrs. Van Tighem and Mrs. T. S. Hughes being joint hostesses. Interesting games interspersed by interesting chit-chat followed by delicious refreshments all combined to make a very happy afternoon. Prize winners were Mrs. H. C. Willson and Mrs. Mott with Mrs. Sauder winning the average score. Personal gifts of remembrance were presented Mrs. Perry and Mrs. Leslie Hand who each expressed their warm appreciation.

Strathmore Boy Scouts numbering about 20 with their leaders Chas. A. MacLean and Fred Wilkinson will go to Calgary Monday on the occasion of the visit of Lady Baden Powell.

The grounds of the Strathmore Memorial Hall are being greatly improved in the Spring Clean Up campaign. About twenty-five Legion members have spent many hours, and the result promises to repay the labour one hundred fold.

Jack Van Tighem has returned from Edmonton.

Lois White spent several days in Strathmore.

Miss Hazel Crory returned on Monday from a trip of three weeks to Spokane where she visited her uncle Mr. Paul Ellis.

Work on the bath houses at the Lions Swimming Pool will commence on Friday of this week. . . . Mr. Hebert, shop instructor will be in charge of operations.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY
LOST—KHAKI ARMY BERET S.L.I. Badge, on the road to Carceland, Wednesday. Finder get in touch with Pte. Mortimer. King Edward Hotel. 1m9p

NATIONAL FILM BOARD
The Canadian Embassy in Brussels, in co-operation with the Belgian Ministry of Education, has made arrangements for the screening of one National Film Board film per month in all Belgian schools.

AGRICULTURE SERVICE BOARD NOTES

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Essary to check seed drills for samples of seed he is authorized to do so, and if found weedy he can order it properly cleaned. The same applies to selling weedy grain or hay. A permit will be required.

The Service Board Act embodies several acts in one. That is, Soil Conservation, Soil Drifting, Straw Conservation, Weed Act, Tax recovery, etc. There are seven to be exact but they have not all been enumerated.

Many of the farmers are bringing their problems to the board and we are getting splendid co-operation. If you have a parcel of land that has been condemned, please do not seed it until you have a clearance in writing to do so, from the board, or ask their advice on how to best control the weed problem.

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